Subject: Response to the Mayor's Draft Consultation Budget 2014-15

Report to: Budget and Performance Committee

Report of: Executive Director of Secretariat Date: 25 June 2014

This report will be considered in public

1. Summary

1.1 This report recommends that the Budget and Performance Committee notes the response from the Chief of Staff on behalf of the Mayor to its report, *Response to the Mayor's Draft Consultation Budget 2014-15*.

2. Recommendation

2.1 That the Committee notes the response on behalf of the Mayor to the Committee's Report on Mayor's Draft Consultation Budget 2014/15

3. Background

3.1 Following the Committee's meetings with senior officers of the GLA and Functional Bodies on 7 and 9 January 2014 and with the Mayor on 14 January 2014, the Committee published its response to the Mayor's draft Consultation Budget for 2014/15 on 21 January 2014 and presented at the Assembly's Draft Budget meeting on 29 January 2014.

4. Issues for Consideration

4.1 Sir Edward Lister, Chief of Staff and Deputy Mayor for Planning, on behalf of the Mayor, wrote a detailed response to the recommendations in the Committee's report. The Committee is asked to note the response on behalf of the Mayor, attached as **Appendix 1**.

5. Legal Implications

5.1 The Committee has the power to do what is recommended in this report.

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6. Financial Implications

6.1 There are no direct financial implications arising from this report.

List of appendices to this report:

Appendix 1: Response to the report, Response to the Mayor's Draft Consultation Budget 2014-15

Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985

List of Background Papers: None

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